

P70-89. A Child's Day: 2000 (Selected Indicators of Child Well-Being)

Table D6. Daily Contact--Mealtimes with Child--Characteristics of Households and Families: 2000

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Survey of Income and Program Participation, 1996 Panel, Wave 12.

Internet Release Date: August 11, 2003

(Numbers in thousands)

Characteristic	Age of child			Parent has breakfast with child every day during typical week last month			Parent has dinner with child every day during typical week last month		
	Under 6 years	6 to 11 years	12 to 17 years	Under 6 years	6 to 11 years	12 to 17 years	Under 6 years	6 to 11 years	12 to 17 years
Total	23,385	24,581	23,697	53.0	35.5	22.9	76.4	72.6	56.1
Monthly Family Income									
Under \$1,500	3,801	4,101	3,410	58.4	31.5	23.4	79.2	76.6	66.6
\$1,500 to \$2,999	5,383	5,950	5,226	51.0	32.7	23.6	77.2	74.0	60.2
\$3,000 to \$4,499	4,640	4,978	4,941	54.8	36.9	22.4	79.1	73.5	55.9
\$4,500 and over	9,038	9,013	9,761	50.7	38.8	23.0	72.9	69.1	50.5
Income not reported	524	539	360	57.1	28.7	14.0	85.4	77.0	53.7
Poverty Status									
Below poverty level	3,859	4,379	3,476	59.2	31.3	24.6	78.9	77.0	68.6
On or above poverty level	19,002	19,663	19,861	51.6	36.6	22.8	75.6	71.5	54.0
100 to 199 percent of poverty	5,329	5,996	5,353	50.3	33.7	22.6	77.1	73.8	58.8
200 percent of poverty or higher	13,673	13,707	14,508	52.2	37.9	22.8	75.1	70.5	52.2
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Tenure									
Owns home	14,739	16,240	16,829	53.1	38.5	23.0	76.4	71.6	54.4
Rents home	7,626	7,590	6,339	53.2	29.2	22.8	77.0	74.7	60.3
Other arrangements	1,019	752	530	50.2	35.1	22.0	72.2	74.7	60.6
Region of Residence									
Northeast	4,363	4,414	4,053	58.7	41.0	22.8	77.4	69.4	52.2
Midwest	5,372	5,713	5,705	51.4	38.2	22.0	72.3	71.3	50.3
South	7,755	8,254	8,254	49.3	32.2	22.9	77.9	72.2	58.1
West	5,894	6,201	5,687	55.0	33.7	23.9	77.3	76.6	61.9

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Metropolitan Residence									
Metropolitan	19,002	19,692	18,533	54.1	36.1	23.0	76.3	72.0	55.6
In central cities	7,167	7,165	6,789	53.7	32.4	21.6	75.3	69.3	57.0
Outside central cities	11,834	12,527	11,744	54.3	38.3	23.8	76.9	73.6	54.9
Nonmetropolitan	4,383	4,889	5,164	48.3	33.0	22.7	76.9	75.1	57.8